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1911 Directory.

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New Firms, Clubs, Associations, etc., not appearing in the last issue are requested
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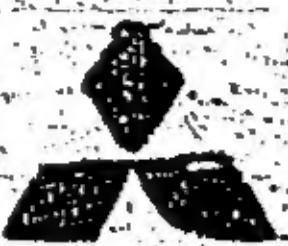
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No. 2, PEDDER STREET,

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Hongkong, January 9, 1910. 816

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LAWN—BOWLS.

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ENTRIES CLOSE on 29th April, at

5 p.m.—Forms are posted at each

Club. Unattached players may obtain

particulars from the Undersigned.

A. RAMSAY,

Hon. Secretary,

3, Ornabury Villas, Kowloon.

Hongkong, March 27, 1911. 429

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NOTICE.

THE Undersigned beg to inform the

Public that the business of LUEN-YIK Firm, Building Contractor, No. 61, Des Vœux Road, Central, is heretofore

carried on between Mr. LAM DORE

and LAM TSAN YIK TONG and Mr.

LAM WOO, and has on the 4th day of 9th

Month of Hsia Tung, willingly transferred

my share to the latter for \$500 besides my

capital was clearly counted and returned.

After this date the interest and responsi-

bility of the said firm for me ceased and

Mr. LAM WOO agreed to discharge all

debts or unfinished works. If there

may be any interest laid aside on the above

mentioned works after all debts were paid off by him a dividend will be made accord-

ing to many shares as before.

(Signed) LAM DORE,

No. 4, Greson Street:

Hongkong, March 20, 1911. 396

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NOTICE.

I, the Undersigned, formerly carrying on

the business as Building Contractor in the

LUEN-YIK Firm, have this day

OPENED a Firm under the sign of WANG

YIK situated in No. 4, Greson Street,

Wanchai, for the purposes of Building

Contractor, Diver and Wharf Builder.

Should there be any works received in

future I am always prepared to give them

every satisfaction.

(Signed) LAM DORE,

No. 4, Greson Street:

Hongkong, March 20, 1911. 397

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NOTICE.

MR. LI HON FAN, a Chinese graduate

versed in literature, has been a teacher to European officials and merchants in this

Colony for over ten years.

He has a good method of training Euro-

peans to pass in the Chinese examination,

and possessed of a first rate certificate as a

Chinese teacher. He has also a good know-

ledge of Mandarin.

Those who intend learning the Chinese

language are requested to write care of

China Mail office or direct to 37, Holly-

wood Road, 1st floor.

Hongkong, December 24, 1910. 1503

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HONGKONG AVERAGE MARKET PRICES.

Corrected to Thursday, March 26th, 1911.

At 100 cents per Dollar Mexican.

Butcher Meat.

	Meat	lb
Beef Sirloin & Prime Cut—Mei Lung Pa	尾龍扒	20
Corned—Hau Ngau Yuk	臘牛肉	22
Roast—Shiu	燒牛肉	15
Bread—Nagu Lam	牛腩	15
Soup—Tong Yuk	湯肉	20
Steak—Ngau Yuk Pa	牛排	12
Sirloin Coton—Ngau Lau	牛柳	30
Sausages—Ngau Chung	牛腸	26
Bullock's Brains—Know	牛心	per set
Veal—Ngau Li	牛肝	60
Corned—Hau Ngau Li	牛頭	60
Heart—Ngau Sun	牛心	12
Hump—Ngau Kin	牛肩	18
Feet—Ngau Kark	牛腳	8
Kidneys—Ngau Yiu	牛腰	9
Tail—Ngau Mei	牛尾	18
Liver—Ngau Koi	牛肝	12
Tripe (fresh)—Ngau To	牛肚	6
Calf Head & Feet—Ngau-chai-tau-kark	牛仔頭脚	set \$1
Mutton Chop—Young Pei Kwat	羊排骨	lb 22
Leg—Young Pei	羊比	22
Shoulder—Young Shau	羊手	20
Chittlings—Chu Chong	猪腰	22
Brains—Chu Kwo	猪腦	per set 24
Feet—Chu Kark	猪脚	lb 12
Feet—Chu Kark	猪雜	25
Feet—Chu Chuk	猪雜	25
Feet—Chu Chuk	猪雜	25
Heart—Chu Sun	猪心	each 13
Kidneys—Chu Yiu	猪腰	9
Liver—Chu Con	猪肝	lb 30
Paek Chop—Chu Pei Kwat	猪排骨	20
Corned—Ham Chu Yuk	猪腰	—
Leg—Chu Fei	猪比	24
Fat or Lard—Chu Yau	猪油	15
Sheeps' Head and Feet—Young Tai Kark set 50	羊頭腳	—
Heart—Young Sun	羊心	each 6
Kidneys—Young Yiu	羊腰	9
Liver—Young Con	羊肝	lb 24
Sucking Pigs, To Order—Chu Chai	猪仔	22
Suet, Beef—Sang Ngau Yau	牛生油	20
Mutton—Sang Young Yau	生羊油	22
Veal—Ngau Chai Yuk	牛仔肉	20
Sausages—Ngau Chai Chauung	牛仔腸	20
Poultry.	生口	cts
Chicken—Kai Chui	雞仔	lb 30
Cupons, Large, Small—Siu Kai	鴨	28
Ducks—Ap	鴨	24
Doves—Pan Kau	斑鳩	—
Eggs—Hon—Kai Tan	雞蛋	per doz 24
Fowls, Cants n—Kai	雞	lb 35
Hainan—Hoi Nam Kai	海南雞	30
Geese—Ngoi	鵝	22
Geese, Wild Shai—Slung-hoi Yea Ngai pair	上海野鵝	—
Musk Deer—Wong Kong	黃貢	—
Hare, Shanghai—Tu Chai	兔仔	—
Partridge—Che Khao	田雞	60
Phasianus—Shan Kai	山雞	pair \$1.50
Pigeons, Canton—Pak Kup	白鵝	each 35
Hollow—Hoi How Pak Kup	海白鵝	30
Quail—Um-Chun	鵠	21
Ree Birds—Wo Fu Cheuk	禾雀	dozen
Sparrow—Su-Chin	沙雀	each 23
Turkeys, Cook—Phor Kai Kung	火雞公	60
Hou—Na	火雞母	45
Wild Ducks, Shai—Slung-hoi Sui Ap pair	上海水鴨	70
Teal—Sui Ap Chai	水鴨仔	100
Wild Ducks, Canton—Song-Shing Sui Ap	省城木鴨	—
Fish.	海鮮	—
Barbel—Kit Yu	加魚	lb 10
Bream—Bin Yu	鯉魚	15
Canton Fresh Water Fish—Hoi Sin Yu	海鮮魚	15
Carp—Li Yu	鯉魚	18
Catfish—Chik Yu	赤魚	17
Codfish—Miu Yu	鰐魚	13
Crabs—Hai	蟹	18
Cuttle Fish—Muk Yu	墨魚	15
Dab—Sa Mang Yu	黃尾鰐	16
Dace—Wong Mei Lun	黃鰐	11
og Fish—Tui Tu Se	海鰐	8
Eels, Conger—Hoi Mann	白鰐	16
Fresh water—Tin Siu Yu	淡水魚	26
Eels, Yellow—Wong Sin	黃鰐	26
Frog—Tien Kai	田雞	28
Jaroupa—Sek Pan	石班	56
Gudgeon—Pak Kui Yu	白哈魚	12
Herrings—Tao Pak	白帶魚	20
Hallibut—Cheung Kui Kup	白帶魚	28
Lobster—Wing Yu	黃花魚	16
Locach—Yu Yu	島魚	28
Lobster—Lung Ha	龍蝦	24
Mackerel—Chi Yu	鮭魚	22
Monk Fish—Mong Yu	鮫魚	28
Mullet—Chui Yu	鰐魚	22
Oysters—Sang Hoo	生蠔	20
Parrotfish—Kai Kung Yu	紅鰐魚	16
Perc—Thau Loo	鰐魚	15
Pike—Fa Paw Pong	花斑魚	8
Plaice—Pan Yu	班魚	18
Pomfret, Black—Ila Chong	黑鰐	22
Pomfret, White—Pak Chong	白鰐	28
Prawns, Ming Ha	明蝦	41
Ray—Pai Pa	琵琶	9
Rock Fish—Sek Ka Kung	石狗公	15
Seabach—Chu Yu	石狗公	10
Salmon—Ma Yau Yu	馬友魚	16
Shark—So Yu	鯊魚	9
Skate—Po Yu	鰩	10
Shrimps—Ha	蝦	28
Snapper—Lap Yu	立魚	24
Sole—Tat Sa Yu	鰓沙魚	24
Tench—Wan Yu	鰐魚	18
Turbot—Cho How Yu	左口魚	22
Turtles, small, fresh water—Kork Yu	海龜	60
White Bass—Ngau Yu Choi	銀魚仔	—
Fruits.	果子	—
Almonds—Hung Tan	杏仁	lb 25
Apples (California)—Kam San Ping Kho	生平生菜	25
(Chiefoo)—Tin Ching Ping Kho	天平平葉	—
Plum—Hoi Tong	番荔枝	—
Custard—Fan Lai Chi	杏仁	each
Rambutan, fragrant, Cantou—San Shing	香妃蕉	lb 3
Heart—Ngau Sun	牛心	lb 12
Hump—Ngau Kin	牛肩	18
Feet—Ngau Kark	牛腳	8
Kidneys—Ngau Yiu	牛腰	9
Tail—Ngau Mei	牛尾	18
Liver—Ngau Koi	牛肝	12
Tripe (fresh)—Ngau To	牛肚	6
Calf Head & Feet—Ngau-chai-tau-kark, set \$1	牛仔頭脚	—
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Shoulder—Young Shau	羊手	20
Chittlings—Chu Chong	猪腰	22
Oranges (Canton)—San-shing Tim Ching	省城甜橙	lb 6
Oranges Sweet	甜橙	12
Pears (American)—Kam San Shek, Lay	金山雪梨	—
Plums (Canton), Ching, Sa Lay	花生	8
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Plum—Swatow, Hung Lai	紅柿	—
Plum—Swatow, Hung Lai	本地波羅	—
Plum—Tai Cheu	大楂	lb 3
Plum—Swatow, Hung Lai	紅果	—
Panaceal, Siam—Chim Lo Yau	追進橘	each 22
Shanghai—Lo Kwat	上海旁骨	—
Walnuts—Hoi Tuo	合桃	lb 13
Green—Sang Hoi Tuo	生合桃	—
Water Molon, (Am.) Kom San Kai Wua each	金山西瓜	西瓜
Grapes—Sang Po Tai Tuo	生普提子	lb
Vegetables &c.	菜蔬	—
Artichokes, Shanghai—Sheung-hoi Ah	芥菜	lb 6
Chick Pea	豆角	—
Bonns, (French), Macao—Oh Moon Fin Tuo	紅菜頭	8
(French), Shanghai—Sheung Hoi	豆角	—
Pin Tau	豆角	—
Sprout—Ah Choi	芥菜	2
Long—Tau Ko	豆角	—
Beet Root—Hung Choi Tan	紅菜頭	each 2
Brinjals, Green—Ching Yuan	青元茄	5
Red—Hung Ker	紅茄	5
Cabbage, Chinese, com.—Kai Choy	芥菜	6
Cabbage Red—Hung Yea Choy	紅蘿蔔	6
Cabbage, Shanghai—Yeh Choi	青菜	7
Cane Shoots, bunch—Kau Shun	竹筍	lb 5
Cauliflower, Large size—Tai Yeh Chu Fa	大椰菜花	12
Medium size—Cheung Yeh Cho Fa	中椰菜花	10
Small size—Sai Yeh Choi Fa	細椰菜花	8
Carrots—Kam Shun	金針	6
Colony, Chinese—Tong Kan Choi	唐芹	6
English—Young	青瓜	5
Chillies Dried—Gou Lat Chiu	乾辣椒	12
Red—Hung Far	紅辣椒	8
Green—Ching Lat Chiu	青辣椒	10
Curry Stuf, English—Kar Lee Chu Liu	加厘材料	10
Cucumbers—Ching Kwa	青瓜	3
Bitter Squash—Fu Kwa	苦瓜	5
Garlic—Que Tau	蒜頭	8
Ginger, young—Sun Tse Keung	老薑	5
old—Le Keung	力根	6
Horse Radish—Shai—Lik Kan	芥菜	12
Indian Corn—Suk Mai	生玉米	each
Lettuce—Young Sung Choi	生菜	1
Water Chestnuts—Ma Tai	馬蹄	lb 5
Mandarin—Kwai Lam Ma Tai	桂圓	6
Mushrooms, Fresh—Sang Cho Koo	生草菇	—
Musk Melon, Amer.—Kam-sau Hong Kwa	金山西瓜	—
Oktrees	洋李頭	15
Onions, Bombay—Young Chong Tau	生葱	8
Green—Sang Chong	生葱	5
Shanghai—Shang-hoi Chong Tau	生上海青	—
Papaw, 1st qual—Tai Man Sui Kua	大萬葉菜	each
2nd—Chung	萬葉菜	8
Parsley—Kun Chiu	芹菜	8
Green Peas—Ching Tau	青豆	8
Shanghai—Slung-hoi Shui Tsai	上海青	3
Japan—Yut Poen Shui Tsai	日本青	3
American—Fa Ki	花旗青	8
Foochow—Fook-chow Shui Tsai	福州青	3
Pumpkin—Tong Kwa	冬瓜	2
Radish—Hung Lo Pak Tai	紅蘿蔔	2
Rhubarb (Fresh)—Tai Wong	大黃	—
Sage—Tau So	紫蘇	—
Shallots—Hon Chung Tau	薑	5
Spinach—Yin Choi	莧菜	4
Tomatoes—Fan Kui	蕃茄	6
Taro—Wu Tui	芋頭	6
Turnips, Punkt, (Long)—Lo Pak	洋蕷	3
English—Young Lo Pak	洋蕷	2
Vegetable Marrow—Chit Kwa	角瓜	—
(Am.) Kam-sau Chit Kwa	金山西瓜	—
Water Cress—Sui Young Choi	西芹	5
Lily Root—Lin Ngau	白芍	2
Yams—Tsui Shui	大薯	6
The prices necessarily vary from day to day, and the sanitary Board has no power to compel stallholders to sell at the prices quoted.	W. POWEN-ROWLANDS, Secretary, Sanitary Board.	—

ANOTHER EDICT AGAINST QUEUE-CUTTING.

The High Officials at Canton have received a despatch from the Educational Authorities at Peking about the removing of the queue. Therein it is ordered that as no sanction has yet been given by the Throne for the removing of the queue, all students in Government colleges must joyfully abide by the previous orders, and not to regard this regard as guilty of flagrant disorder. If already some students, being imperfectly informed as to the will of the Throne, have been suddenly led aside into hypothec and have broken the laws and removed their queues, they must at once return to the old ways and allow their queues to grow once more. If, on the other hand, after the publishing of this new edict, any students shall in the future cut off their queues, than the principals of the several colleges and schools without mercy will immediately eject them that they may be a warning to those who may be thinking of following their example. It is said that H.E. the Vicerey on the receipt of this order at once set about sending it out to all those whom it concerns. It seems strange that there should be much talk about this matter, for it would be better were the Government to allow students perfect freedom.

TAXATION AT SANYUL

Last year there was a suggestion made that fish sold in Sanyu city should be taxed. Of course strong opposition at once sprang up and for a time the proposition was dropped. The suggestion has now been revived. It appears that a man named Chan has offered to pay the Government a thousand dollars a year in exchange for the right to tax fish. He has offered six hundred dollars per annum to another man to collect it. As it is thought that the income will be something more than four thousand dollars, the farmer will receive a little more than two thousand dollars per annum, which is a substantial sum, and worth a little abuse from those out of whose pockets the money comes. Meanwhile resistance is being organized. The fish to be taxed is only that which is reared in ponds and caught in the rivers, for salt fish is not considered. The people state emphatically that the whole affair is so very small that it is not worth doing; that fish is an article of every day food, and therefore if it is taxed many will suffer; and that most of the money will go into the pockets of the farmer.

SHIPPING.

TEN DAYS LAST REPORTED.

Burrard & Swire.

Ajax, due Hongkong, April 1.
Achilles, arrived London, March 21.
Aigmeenion, due Hongkong, April 5.
Alchon, left Liverpool, March 11.
Anton, London, March 7.
Antilochus, due Kobo, March 29.
Anhui, due Shanghai, March 30.
Anglin, Hongkong, March 13.
Arenas, left Liverpool, March 18.
Bellakot, due Yokohama, April 7.
Bengkot, Hongkong, March 7.
Chong, due Hongkong, March 29.
Chongshu, due Hongkong, Feb. 26.
Chinshu, due Hongkong, March 26.
Cicadas, left Saigon, March 8.
Chiuang, Hongkong, March 3.
Chili, Shanghai, March 8.
Cyclops, left Liverpool, March 18.
Chowta, Hongkong, March 21.
Ducalion, left Hongkong, March 7.
Huichang, left Hongkong, March 10.
Huangy, left Hongkong, March 7.
Hyson, left Liverpool, March 11.
Hupel, Hongkong, March 23.
Idonous, leaves Yokohama, April 3.
Ichang, left Saig, March 17.
Kohchang, Hongkong, March 21.
Kaifong, left Hongkong, March 28.
Kukting, Hongkong, March 2.
Keemui, Singapore, March 13.
Keungui, Hongkong, March 11.
Kewin, Taifau, March 12.
Kintuck, left Hongkong, March 23.
Kueichow, left Hongkong, March 23.
Lewok, Hongkong, March 18.
Lian, due Hongkong, March 30.
Lockum, Hongkong, March 2.
Laetos, Hongkong, March 13.
Menan, left Suez, outward, March 7.
Menan, left Batavia, for Liverpool, Feb. 28.

Duchess, Hongkong, March 2.

Nanchang, Hongkong, March 22.

Ning Chow, Taecon, March 18.

Oana, left Hongkong, March 24.

Prometheus, left Hongkong, March 21.

Pitamul, Hongkong, March 17.

Prithupan, leaves Liverpool, April 29.

Pulm, left Hongkong, March 23.

Puking, Hongkong, March 28.

Purus, due Shanghai, March 30.

Polyphemus, left Liverpool, March 25.

Pulat, left Hongkong, March 14.

Rajah, Hongkong, March 16.

Sungkina, left Hongkong, March 14.

Sarpdon, left Batavia, March 7.

Sandakan, Hongkong, March 11.

Shansi, Hongkong, March 9.

Singan, left Hongkong, March 24.

Shantung, left Hongkong for Java, Mar. 7.

Stentor, passed Manila, March 10.

Tian, leaves Liverpool, April 1.

Tian, left Hongkong, March 21.

Theorus, left Liverpool, March 25.

Tidous, left Hongkong, Feb. 20.

Taining, left Hongkong, March 14.

Taiyuan, due Hongkong, April 8.

Teucer, due Tengin, March 31.

Ulysses, left Batavia, March 9.

Yangtze, left Suez, March 19.

Wulu, left Hongkong, March 22.

Wongkoi, Hongkong, March 19.

YUNFON YUSEN KAMIA.

Aki Maru, due Hongkong, March 20.

Awa Maru, due Victoria, March 30.

Abuta Maru, leaves London, April 1.

Bomby Maru, due Hongkong, March 16.

Bomby Maru, Hongkong, March 28.

Bomby Maru, Hongkong, April 24.

Colombia Maru, Hongkong, April 11.

Chikun Maru, Shanghai, March 11.

Chikun Maru, Nagasaki, March 13.

Hakusei Maru, Yokohama, March 13.

Hiraku Maru, leaves Hongkong, March 29.

Hakata Maru, left Hongkong, March 22.

Hitachi Maru, leaves Middleborough, April 1.

India Maru, due Shanghai, April 1.

Iyo Maru, due Colombo, March 30.

Kanakum Maru, leaves Yokohama, March 29.

Kosai Maru, left Shanghai, March 14.

Kumik Maru, due Thursday-Island March 30.

Kaga Maru, passed Canal, outwards, Feb. 21.

Kau Maru, Hongkong, March 15.

Kitao Maru, due Suez, March 29.

Kuangwei Maru, Hongkong, March 22.

Miyazaki Maru, due London, March 30.

Nikko Maru, leaves Kobo, April 2.

Sado Maru, due Yokohama, April 11.

Tamba Maru, due Yokohama, March 31.

Tango Maru, leaves Kobo, March 30.

Tawari Maru, leaves Tainan, March 31.

Yamaguchi, Kobo, March 13.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

Alesa, March 17, Shanghai.

Auribus, Hongkong, March 24.

Andalusia, Hamburg.

Aragon, New York.

Arcadia, March 14, from Port Said to Manila.

Bayern, March 6, from Hamburg to Hongkong.

Belgenland, February 18, from Port Said to Manila.

Brazil, in Hamburg.

Brigadier, February 6, from Singapore to Hongkong.

Frederik, March 16, from Hamburg to East.

Kronlow, in Chinkiang.

Liberia, March 7, from Hongkong to Hamburg.

Loempon, March 11, from Hongkong to Saigon.

Lyempon, March 19, from Hongkong to Saigon.

Preussen, March 6, in Kobe.

Reinheits, in Shanghai.

Sachsen, March 7, from Port Said to Manila.

Sibuna, March 20, from Hongkong to Hamburg.

Saxonia, March 4, from Singapore to Hamburg.

Scandia, in Hamburg.

Sagovia, Feb. 24, from Singapore to Hamburg.

Senegambia, Hongkong, March 23.

Silesia, March 19, from Hongkong to Hamburg.

Sithonia, March 10, from Hamburg to Manila.

Sovereign, February 11, from Singapore to Hongkong.

Spica, March 7, from Hongkong to Hamburg.

Suevia, March 6, from Port Said to the East.

Vandalia, February 27, from Suez to Vladivostok.

MEDITERRANEAN MARITIME.

Australian, leaves Marseilles, March 21.

Caledonia, Port Said, March 23.

E. Simona, left Hongkong, March 23.

Oceania, London, March 17.

Polynesia, left Hongkong, March 13.

Sahara, Marseilles, March 23.

Sahara, due Port Said, April 6.

Tropic, due Canal, March 21.

Vale la Vie, left Hongkong, March 21.

JAPAN.

Carl Dredge, left Hongkong, Feb. 23.

Holstein, Hongkong, March 8.

Schara, Hongkong, March 15.

Maria, Hongkong, March 20.

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and Peking, in order to put things right and prevent disappointment to the Treasury. We also read of a tax on fresh-water fish; another on cabbages, and a proposed increase in the duties to be levied upon all animals killed for market. It appears that there have lately been some lawsuits in regard to these imposts, the farmers of the taxes being compelled to have recourse to the courts to secure further assistance in collecting their dues. According to current reports there are many who do not pay these taxes themselves, but who stir up quiet people who do thus pronouncing trouble and creating bad blood. Then, further, in the district of Kwang-chau-fu, which extends over a large area and where the taxes are heavy, there has been an examination into the great leakage in fiscal matters which has resulted in the Viceroy being advised to set other men to the work of collecting the taxes, as the task is evidently too heavy for those who up to the present were responsible for their collection. All this means additional cost to the machinery of local government, but

apparently there is no other way of seeing that the taxes are paid or of preventing trouble. Further than this, it has been decided that the accessories of idol worship shall be taxed. We learn from our contemporary that one speculator has offered a hundred thousand dollars per annum for the right to look after this new tax, but the officials want one hundred and twenty thousand ere they grant the monopoly. Such things as incense, candles, all kinds of paper needed for worship, and also all paper garments and equipages intended to be burnt as offerings to the idols are to be taxed. We remember that an attempt of this sort was made some three years ago in one of the country districts, but so much trouble arose in consequence that the magistrate was sorry he ever took up the project. At that time the impost was made in connection with sundry things that concerned the Taoist form of worship and the priests stirred up agitation by announcing that if these things were taxed a falling off in the offerings would result, and therefore the idols in revenge would withhold their gifts from the people. This naturally scared the ignorant populace, and so threatening was the attitude of the crowds that the official in question thought that discretion was the better part of valour and climbed down. So things resumed their normal way. What will happen this time remains to be seen. It is generally the rule, however, that when the local government decides that a thing has to be done it is usually done, and neither gods nor men are allowed to interfere with the intentions of the officials once they have really made up their minds. The officials of Kwantung are evidently cast in the same mould as the bureaucracy of Hongkong when it comes to taxing the people. It has to be, say they, so it must be and there is no use in kicking.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr E. Davidson, of Messrs Hastings and Hastings, goes Home on leave to-morrow.

Among the passengers that arrived by the s.s. Japan to-day from Calcutta was Mr E. W. Maitland.

Mr H. W. Kirby, of the International Bank, recently of Hongkong and formerly of Yokohama, won the March medal of the Kappa Golf Club with a score of 49+52 = 18-63.

M. Crombez, advocate and president of the Chamber of Agriculture, has been appointed by the Government of Cochin-china to represent the Colony at the Festival of Empire exhibition which will open in June in London.

Captain W. H. Trevor, The Buffs, has been promoted to a majority to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Lieutenant A. D. Geddes to the command of the 2nd Battalion, Singapore. Major Trevor obtained his spurs after a service of 18 years. He is presently employed at the Royal Military College, Sandhurst, as a company command, which appointment he now vacates. Major Trevor was assistant superintendent of signalling in the Malacca Field Force and the Burma Field Force during the North-West Campaign of 1897-98, and prior to that he served in the Chitral Expedition, 1895 (medal with two clasps), and also in South Africa on the Staff. In the latter campaign he has severely wounded (Queen's medal with three clasps).

THE N. D. L.

Accident Changes Schedule.

The Imperial German Mail steamer Goeben on her way out to the Far East struck a rock near San Remo, and as she has to be repaired at Genoa she will not come out to the East this trip. The Norddeutscher Lloyd have consequently arranged to send the L. G. M. & Ginevra out as a substitute steamer, leaving Bremen the 29th of March and Genoa probably on the 10th of April, i.e. about 18 days later than the Goeben should have left.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Gray, the Australian billiard expert, recently playing with Harverson, made a break of 2,106 unfinished.

There were 495 Europeans and 183 Chinese visitors to the City Hall Library, and 181 Europeans and 5,469 Chinese visitors to the Museum during the week ending 24th March.

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AVIATION MEETING.

The Managers of the Aviation Meeting at Shatin desire us to intimate they are extremely disappointed that the weather and the conditions prevailing at Shatin for the past week have precluded any possibility of executing their advertised programme. The Managers are anxious, however, that their patrons shall have an opportunity of witnessing one or more good flights and with this end in view they are endeavouring to make such arrangements as will, if successful, meet with the approval of all their patrons.

DRESSMAKING DISPUTES.

Chinese Tailor Sues Two Customers.

Dressmaking problems presented themselves to Mr. Justice Hazelton in the Summary Court this afternoon when Ho Wai, a Chinese tailor, brought actions against Miss B. Ratkin and Miss A. Goldstein, both of the Queen's Hotel, for \$21 and \$26 respectively, said to be damages for work done and materials supplied.

The particulars of claim against the first defendant were:—Making one pink silk gown and supplying part materials for same, \$7; making one green guaze gown, \$10; making one dark blue chintz, \$14; paid on account, \$10; balance due, \$21.

In regard to the second defendant the claim was:—Making one light blue crepe gown, \$8; making one green guaze, given \$10; making one blue woolen suit, \$14; making one brown woolen suit, \$14; cash paid \$20; balance due, \$26.

The case against Miss Ratkin was first taken, Mr. C. Wilson appearing for plaintiff.

Mr. Wilson said the only item in dispute was a sum of \$14 for making a dark blue coat and skirt. What happened in regard to this was that the defendant instructed the plaintiff to make this skirt according to measurements which he had and by which he had previously made other clothes. He did so and sent it to the defendant, who found it was too long. She then took it back and told plaintiff to alter it, which he did, and then she said it was too short. To make it longer again a piece had to be added on. This was no fault of the plaintiff and he was entitled to the amount claimed.

Plaintiff then gave evidence and his Lordship asked defendant if she wished to put any questions to him.

Defendant.—What shall I ask her? He knows very well he spoiled my dress.

His Lordship.—(to plaintiff)—Isn't it a fact that you spoiled her dress?

Plaintiff.—When I ask her for payment she then said I spoiled it. You didn't make any remark before when you put it on and it fitted all right.

Defendant went into the box, and declared that plaintiff had spoiled the dress. Replying to Mr. Wilson, defendant said she had had work done for her by plaintiff before.

And you always found him satisfactory?

No.

Then why did you go to him again?

He said it was my first measurement with him and next time he could do it proper.

But the second dress he spoiled too.

His Lordship said he thought he ought to give judgment for the defendant on that item.

Mr. Wilson said the skirt was made according to measurements.

His Lordship.—I think there has been a mistake in copying down the measurements.

Mr. Wilson.—We can call the fok. The lady may have changed her mind or the fashions may have changed. I think the case would be met if your Lordship makes some allowance.

His Lordship.—Very well, I will deduct 47.

Judgment was entered for plaintiff for \$14 on the total claim.

The case against Miss Goldstein was then proceeded with.

His Lordship.—What's the matter with your dress?

Defendant.—My dress is all right, but he don't come and fix me. He must come and fix and then I will pay.

But he hasn't tried it on? No, he never came and asked me.

Mr. Wilson.—He says he has.

His Lordship.—Do you admit this amount of \$26?

Defendant.—No; only \$16.

Mr. Wilson said the prices were all agreed.

His Lordship.—Do you want him to try on again?

Defendant.—If he fixes me I will pay him.

His Lordship.—But he says he has fixed you.

Defendant.—Well, here is my dress. I have it here. It is no good.

Mr. Wilson said this defendant seemed to have been encouraged by the other one in the hope of getting something knocked off the bill. It was perfectly clear that the prices were agreed upon.

Judgment was given for plaintiff with costs.

THE EMPIRE.

During their stay in Hongkong the Donelly Troupe have made many friends who will regret their departure at the end of this week from the Empire Theatre, where they have gained quite a reputation for themselves. To-night Miss Irene Lepoumou will make her debut and will sing selections of English and German songs.

ANOTHER HONGKONG SUCCESS.

New Vessel for the Quartermaster's Department of U. S. Army.

The Tallow Dockyard and Engineering Co. of Hongkong have just completed a finely modelled steel twin-screw steamer built to the order of the United States Army Quartermaster's Department. The vessel is named the "Muley" and is 140 feet overall by 26 feet beam and 13 feet 6 inches depth, and has been built equal to the highest classification of Lloyd's Society.

The vessel has a continuous main deck, with a long shade deck, two steel masts, and is rigged as a fore and aft schooner. A powerful steam winch is fitted at the fore hatch, capable of dishing with weights up to 10 tons, while in the fore part of the vessel a capstan steam warping windlass is fitted. There are two large insulated compartments in the forehold fitted up for the carrying of fresh meat and perishable goods. The accommodation for passengers and officers is a special feature of the vessel, the rooms being spacious and well fitted up, panelled in teak and finished in glossed white. The saloon is handsomely finished in polished teak; light brown leather cushions and curtains to match. Special bathrooms, fitted with showers, have been installed for passengers, officers, crew and soldiers. Triple-expansion engines of the builders' own make, and two boilers, capable of driving the vessel at a speed of 12 knots, have been fitted. Alley and McFadden's patent steam steering gear has also been installed. The vessel is lighted throughout by electricity, and has a powerful searchlight fitted over the wheel house.

SHAMEEN NOTES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) CANTON, March 27.

THE WEATHER.

To-day has been quite fine with some bright sunshine at intervals. This is the first occasion since the 18th inst. that we have been favoured with the presence of King Soi. The rainfall for the week ended 25th March was 1.91" and the average temperature 60° F.

CUSTOMS CHARGES.

Mr. Commissioner Ossen is shortly going to Tientsin. Mr. A. G. Wallace has been transferred to Chungking and left to take up his post on the 21st inst.

BUSINESS NOTES.

The Osaka Showa Kaisha have opened their own office in the Shanghai, being located in part of Messrs H. Dent and Co's premises.

Mr. E. A. Stanton, of Messrs Denton and Co., has left on a brief trip to Europe, accompanied by Mrs. Stanton.

Mr. D. Abbey, from Newchwang, has assumed charge of Messrs Butterfield and Swire's office at Canton, vice Mr. H. W. Greaves who has left for home with Mrs. Greaves.

SPORTS.

The International Bowling contest has been in progress for some time past. The winning team will be the one scoring the highest aggregate and the position of the teams so far is as follows, viz:—German team, 5203 points; English team, 5190 points; Swiss team, 4740 points; American team, 4384 points.

NAVAL NEWS.

The river gunboat "Mooren" left for Hongkong on the 25th inst. The French gunboat "Vigilante" is in harbour.

BANDMANN'S OPERA COMPANY.

Phenomenal Booking.

Hongkong is evidently going to lay itself out for a rattling big dose of enjoyment on the visit of the Bandmann Opera Company, for although booking only opened yesterday at Moutier the "rush" has been phenomenal. The tickets taken yesterday represented over \$1,000 in value, while up to noon to-day there had been an advance on this figure of about \$1,000 more.

The bookings for "The Balkan Princess," which is to be presented on the opening and second nights, are particularly heavy, and this play is described as quite one of the best of the new numbers.

Modern playwrights, especially of the musical comedy school, appear to have shifted their ground in the search for plot subjects. In the days of the Immortal Bard Italy, Spain and France were in much request. Later Germany had a vogue, and now the potty Balkans states appear to furnish most of the popular plots. "The Merry Widow," "The King of Cadiz," "The Cho-Cho-Solo" are examples, and now we have "The Balkan Princess," the latest thing in Mr. Bandmann's repertoire, which also obtains inspiration from Europe's "Political Volcano," as the Balkans have been described. But all the world over, human nature is the same, and the emotions and motives of human actions do not change. "The Balkan Princess" is the result of a very effective collaboration. Ostensibly it is the work of Frederick Lonsdale and Frank Curzon, but as the composer of the musical score, Paul Rubens, is also responsible for the lyrics, the result is a perfectly enchanting production. As a musical comedy it must be ranked pretty high; for in it we have a

somewhat more tangible plot than is to be

found in the majority of similar productions, while it is bubbling over with that class of light "humour" which keeps an audience there rippling the whole time that the curtain is up.

The curtain is up. The music is in Rubens' happiest vein, tuneful and tinkling, which catches the popular ear, while the scenery is gorgeous in the extreme.

Messrs. S. Moutier and Co. courteously inform us that a cable has been received from Singapore intimating that the Bandmann Opera Company will be a day later in arriving than was originally anticipated.

Notice of the opening night will appear in our advertising columns to-morrow.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

Through the courtesy of His Excellency Vice-Admiral Sir Alfred Winslow, K.C.B., G.V.O., C.M.G., the Band of H. M. S. Mincator will play the following programme of music at Government House on the occasion of Lady Lugard's At Home on Friday next:—

"Tunbeamer"..... Wagner
"1 Student"..... Baillotti
"Three Dances"..... from "Henry VI"..... Gounod
"La Barcarolle"..... Gounod
"Madame Butterfly"..... Puccini
"Chanta sans Parol"..... Tschaikowsky
"Largo"..... Handel

A TRIAL TRIP.

The motor boat "Marc," which was launched at Kowloon Dock on the 21st inst., has meanwhile been completed, and the official trial trip took place on Monday afternoon and proved successful in every respect.

The boat is built for towing purposes in the Tonkin River Rapid, and required as our readers know quite a special design. The Dock Company must be congratulated on the skilful way in which they solved this difficult task by putting out a boat which meets the special requirements in the highest degree. The dimensions of the boat are 30' x 7'6" x 3'6" and on account of her light draft, about 18' under working conditions, the bottom of the vessel had to be as flat as a cigar box and the two propellers therefore to be placed in tunnels.

On account of the river being in some places overhung by trees the boat had to be built as low as possible. The treacherous condition of the river with its many rapids and sunks necessitated the great attention to the reliability of the motor power. It was therefore decided to install a triple-expansion "Otto-Motor" of the Gasmotor-fabrik Cologne-Duett, which are known for their reliability and the trial trip proved that the decision was a right one. The 2 motors are of the 4 cycles, heavy duty type, having 4 cylinders each and are fitted with electric ignition and reliable lubrication; each motor has a capacity of 45 H.P. giving the boat a speed of 11 miles per hour. The strongly built motors are not dependent on the quality of fuel, and work equally well on light as well as heavy oils. The two propellers are provided with shifting blades and their speed is kept within such moderate limits that they work with the best useful effect, and without producing eddies. The exceedingly low fuel consumption deserves special mention.

On March 6 the Captain of the cruiser "Jan Kerguelan" gave a dinner to the officers of H.M.S. Monmouth, while they partook of the following day with M. Courteau, the Lieutenant Governor, and subsequently dined with M. Luce, Governor General. Those invited included Messrs Courteau, Lieutenant Governor; General Leblanc, Captain E. L. Power of H.M.S. Monmouth; Captain of the Jan Kerguelan, Captain of the cruiser "Dupleix," J. L. O'Connell, H.B.M.'s vice consul general; M. Bataille, Chief of the cabinet of the Governor General, Commander "Shaddock," Surgeon Wilson, Paymaster Colson, Lieuts. Delarue, Private Secretary of the Governor General, and Lieuts Desnoye and Berthier.

The reception finished about 11 o'clock and the guests were deeply touched by the cordiality of their reception.

M. Luce proposed the health of His Majesty King George V, which was responded to by Commander Power who in turn proposed the health of the President of the Republic of France.

Subsequently the party witnessed the brilliant opera "Veuve Joyeuse" which has met with such success in Saigon.

The following day the commander of the Monmouth and a number of officers went for a motor-air ride and in the evening they invited a number of guests to dinner on H.M.S. Monmouth where the reception was no less cordial.

An association football match was also played between representatives of the Monmouth and civilians and the navy. Two goals were scored on either side and a draw was declared.

A Rugby game was also played when the Monmouth scored a try which was converted and the Irish were outplayed.

The game was played in Kowloon.

INTERNATIONAL RUGBY.

The international Rugby match between Wales and Ireland was played on March 11 at Cardiff in glorious weather before 45,000 spectators. The ground was muddy. Wales opened with a great dash and Evans crossed for Bancroft to convert. The Irish defence was good. At half-time the scores were:—Wales 5; Ireland 0. In the second half, Wales pressed continually and the Irish were outplayed.

Wales scored two tries for the conversion.

Wales 12; Ireland 0.

Boxing.

At Olympia on March 8th, Boxer, Wells was given the verdict, on points, in a twenty-round contest with Dan Flynn (American).

Captain E. C. Norman, who has been promoted to the vacant company in the Buffs, is with the 2nd Battalion. He got his first commission in the regiment in April, 1900, and served with it in the South African War, including the operation in the mounted infantry company in the Transvaal and Orange River Colony (Queen's medal with three clasps and King's medal with two clasps).

REVIEW.

The Educational Reform in China by DERRY BLAIR GRAYBILL. Hongkong, Kelly & Walsh.

This brochure on educational reform in China contains one hundred and thirty-eight pages. It is provided with a table of contents, a preface, and an "outline." The subject is not an easy one to handle effectively, because the crowd to be covered is very extensive and the present condition of education in the Empire is somewhat of a tangle. The first half of the book is a review of the educational methods which have obtained in China in the past, and, in this review a good deal of information is available for the reader. Dr. A. Smith, and Dr. W. A. P. Martin—always guides—are frequently quoted. Among the external stimuli which have effected Chinese thought, and as modified her education, are foreign political influences, and the Christian propaganda. Contact with "Westerners" has not always been elevating. "The early traders and their race is not extinct—were usually a rough lot of sea rovers, who made a bad impression on the Chinese. They drank and looted and fought among themselves like pirates, as many of them were." Christian Missions, evangelical, educational and medical, have made some impression upon the Chinese mind. The education provided for Chinese youths in Hongkong is reviewed, and no words of flattery are used to gloss over defects. The chief sin has been to fit for clerical work in Government or business employments, which is only a half step toward the old Chinese aim. This has caused a multiplication of cheap and crowded schools, of low standard, and as a type of education unworthy of its opportunities, unsuited to a great and advancing people.

The author, in dealing with educational reforms in China, seems to assume that the Empress Dowager, and the Emperor Kwang Hau, are still alive. These sections may have been written some time ago, and not revised.

At any rate, it is somewhat perplexing to read. Meanwhile in all this governmental chaos, we observe that the Empress Dowager is over seventy years old, and the people are gradually beginning to disregard her, and to take great interest in the silent and secluded Emperor. This is the status of affairs at Peking." From a paragraph on page one hundred and thirty-one, it would seem that this section of the book was written about the year 1907, for we read "since the Empress retains the throne, and yet carries forward the very reforms that nine years ago so aroused her, etc." We have said that the subject of education in China is somewhat tangled and a young man who attempts to "blaze" his way through it will find the task difficult; our author has not found it easy. It would seem, however, that an authority, who is dealing with "education" and therefore with accuracy, should not educate the public in the way indicated in these biased references.

Should a second edition of the brochure be called for it will be wise to correct the lenses of the verbs. Moreover, it might not be out of place in a booklet dealing with education, if the war of 1842 must be referred to, to add "so-called" when describing it as the "Opium War."

SPORTING.

On March 6 the Captain of the cruiser "Jan Kerguelan" gave a dinner to the officers of H.M.S. Monmouth, while they partook of the following day with M. Courteau, the Lieutenant Governor, and subsequently dined with M. Luce, Governor General.

Those invited included Messrs Courteau, Lieutenant Governor; General Leblanc, Captain E. L. Power of H.M.S. Monmouth; Captain of the Jan Kerguelan, Captain of the cruiser "Dupleix," J. L. O'Connell, H.B.M.'s vice consul general; M. Bataille, Chief of the cabinet of the Governor General, Commander "Shaddock," Surgeon Wilson, Paymaster Colson, Lieuts. Delarue, Private Secretary of the Governor General, and Lieuts Desnoye and Berthier.

The reception finished about 11 o'clock and the guests were deeply touched by the cordiality of their reception.

M. Luce proposed the health of His Majesty King George V, which was responded to by Commander Power who in turn proposed the health of the President of the Republic of France.

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